

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

MAX

Group Art Unit: 1764

Appln. No.: 09/941,545

Examiner: (Unknown)

Filed: August 30, 2001

Title:

IMPROVED HYDRATE DESALINATION FOR WATER PURIFICATION

November 6, 2002

DRAWING CHANGE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST

and

SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED FORMAL DRAWINGS

Hon. Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that Applicant be permitted to amend the drawings as indicated in the attached, marked-up copies of Figures 2, 8, 12, 16, 17, 18, 25, and 26.

Corrected formal drawings are also attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Pillsbury Winthrop LLP

By:

Kenneth M. Fagin

Reg. No.: 37,615

Tel. No.: (703) 905-2066 Fax No.: (703) 905-2500

KMF:emg 1600 Tysons Boulevard McLean, VA 22102 (703) 905-2000